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MEDICINAL.

To THE PISO COMPANY,
WARREN, PA.

Gentlemen:
With
delight I
recommend
your

**PISO'S
CURE**

for
CONSUMPTION
to others,
for it alone
saved my
life.

ADOLPH ZIMMER,
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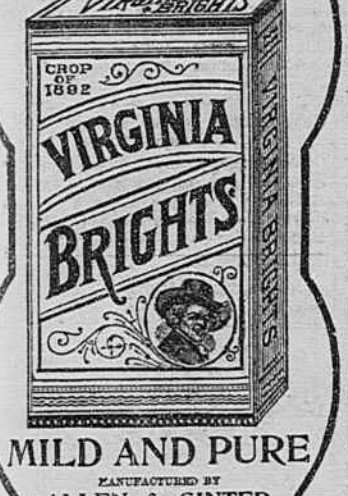
Pineola Cough Balsam

is excellent for throat inflammations and for
asthma. Consumptives will
invariably derive benefit
from its use, as it
quickly abates the
cough, renders ex-
pectoration easy,
assisting nature in
restoring wasted
tissues. There is
a large percentage
of those who sup-
pose their case to be
consumption who are
only suffering from a
chronic cold or deep
seated cough, often
aggravated by catarrh.
For external use, Ely's
Cream Balm, 50c
per bottle; Pineola
Balsam, 25c at
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quantities of \$2.50
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PINEOLA
BALM

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

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A NEW INVENTION—non-inflammable,
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direct from factory in Limoges, France.
A lot of Chas. Field Haviland's Choice French
China.

E. J. MILLER & CO., Importers,
317 King Street.

TEA, VIRGINIA BLEND.—This is a mixed
blend of tea of superior drinking quality, and
is as sweet as any one could wish for. It is
especially desirable for making cold or iced
tea.

B. H. JENKINS,
Cor. Duke and Fairfax streets.

LAWN MOWERS. Window Screens and
Greenhouse Frames. To close out present
stock will sell at reduced prices. Call and
see us.

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Alexandria, Va.

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Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes
of respect, resolutions adopted by societies
or persons, unless of public concern, will
only be printed in this paper as advertise-
ments.

The GAZETTE office is connected with the
Telephone Exchange. Advertisements, or-
ders for the paper, news or any information
or business can be sent by telephone.

(Entered at the Postoffice Alexandria, Virgin-
ia, as second-class matter.)

PRAYERS TO CURE THE SICK.

—Faith
or prayers of something equally intangi-
ble yesterday seemed to have work-
ed a cure in the case of Miss Cath-
arine Schreff. She is 34 years old, a
daughter of John S. Schreff, a black-
smith, and had been confined to her
bed for five years, a victim of nervous
prostration. Attending physicians said
that she would never regain the use of
her lower limbs. Six months ago Rev.
J. H. Von Neid, pastor of Salem United
Brethren Church, in Lebanon, Pa., of
which Miss Schreff is a member, had
Dr. John Alexander Dowie, the divine
healer, of Chicago, interested in her be-
half. Yesterday between 9 and 9:30
o'clock, was fixed as the time of de-
liverance.

Dr. Dowie instructed Rev. Von Neid
to pray for Miss Schreff at that
time, while he would do the same at his
home in Chicago, the invalid to do like-
wise. As the time drew nigh when
she was to be relieved she offered a
 fervent prayer, while Rev. Von Neid
was similarly engaged at his home. At
several minutes before 9:30 Mrs. Schreff
went to her daughter's bedside and
commanded her to rise. This the daugh-
ter did, and her recovery, it is claimed,
is almost complete.

PUT ALIVE IN A COFFIN.—Fred
Markham, of Santa Cruz, Cal., received
a letter ten days ago stating his mother
had died in Battle Creek, Mich., as the
result of a railroad accident, and that
the remains would be interred before he
could reach Battle Creek. A few days
later he was astonished at receiving
another letter containing the informa-
tion that his mother was alive, and
would probably recover. The letter
further stated that his mother's ap-
parent death had occurred when the first
letter was written. Arrangements for
her burial were then under way, but
while the funeral services were in pro-
gress the minister, relatives and con-
gregation were horrified by a sound
from the coffin, and were almost par-
alyzed with surprise when, a moment
later, the coffin lid was opened and
Mrs. Markham found to be alive. It
appears that she suffered from con-
fusion of the brain, and for two days was
unconscious.

WORLD'S LARGEST STEAMER.—The
new monster twin-screw freight and
passenger steamship which Harlan &
Wolf are building for the New York
service of the Hamburg-American line
will be christened the Pennsylvania, in
honor of the Keystone State.

The new steamer will be the largest
freight-carrying steamer in the world.
She will have a displacement of 20,000
tons, and a dead-weight carrying ca-
pacity of 18,000 tons. Her other di-
mensions are: Length, 560 feet;
beam, 82 feet. The Pennsylvania will
have the latest style of triple-expansion
engines, their total horse power
being 5,500. She will be ready quite
early in the season of 1896.

The Pennsylvania will have accom-
modations for 200 first-class and 1,500
steerage passengers. Her builders ex-
pect her to make fifteen knots an hour.

POPE LEO A MASON.—It has been
often asserted and as often denied that
Pope Pius IX, was a Mason. The fol-
lowing is from a correspondent in the
Freemason's Chronicle on the subject:

After a very diligent search I have
come upon the following, "Who would
have suspected it? The Pope is a
Freemason! Impossible! It will be
said, but he really is." In the register
of a Sicilian lodge, the minutes of his
initiation have been discovered, and
behold the fraternity, in order to re-
venge itself for the excommunication
pronounced against it, published the
document, accompanied by a photo-
graph representing the successor of
Apostles wearing the Masonic emblems.
His Holiness Pius IX, is no other than
Bro. Jean Mastin Ferretti.

The North American Review for De-
cember has been received from its pub-
lishers in New York. Its contents
are: The Work of the Next Congress,
by M. W. Hazeltine, and Representa-
tives Catching, Dilliver, Southwick
and Bell; Cranks and Crazes, by Mrs.
Lynn Linton; The Last Gift of the Cen-
tury, by N. S. Shaler; How London
Deals with Beggars, by Lord Norton;
Results of the Bering Sea Arbitration,
by ex-Secretary Foster; Christianity's
Millstone, by Prof. Goldwin Smith;
Our Benefits from the Nicaragua
Canal, by Arthur Silva Smith; Personal
History of the Second Empire, by Al-
bert D. Vandam; Wild Traits in Tame
Animals, by Dr. Louis Robinson; The
House of Representatives and the
House of Commons, by the Clerk of the
House of Commons; Congress and the
Next Paris Exposition, by Theodore
Stanton; Some Memories of a Great
Lawyer, by W. Watson, and A Plea for
the English Wife, by E. M. Nicholl.

Turn Topics is good all the year round,
but its Christmas number, just received from
its publishers in New York, is an improvement
on all its predecessors, a feat that had pre-
viously been supposed to be impossible.

SHREDDED AND BONELESS COD FISH
for sale by
J. C. MILBURN.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

FOR CHRISTMAS.

MONEY IS SCARCE THIS YEAR.

Hence the necessity of spending it judiciously.

You can make a SENSIBLE, SERVICEABLE

Christmas Present

Such as COLLARS, CUFFS, SHIRTS, NECK-
TIES, GLASSES, HANDKERCHIEFS, UM-
BRELLAS, TOWELS, NAPKINS, TABLE
CLOTHS, BUREAU SCARFS, WASHSTAND
COVERS, BLANKETS, COMFORTS, BED
SPREADS, UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, &c., &c.
These goods can be found at LOWEST
PRICES, QUALITY NOT SACRIFICED, at

A. C. SLAYMAKER'S,

Successor to A. B. Slaymaker.

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SUBSTANTIAL TOYS

at lowest prices. Call and examine at

A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

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MUCH TIME

AND THOUGHT

is given in selecting the assortment that we
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HOLIDAY

NOVELTIES.

In making presents often the pocketbook
has to be consulted. This is when we fill
our prices are by far the lowest
in town, and our patrons always save money.

SEE OUR

DIAMOND RINGS,

\$5, \$7, \$10, \$15, \$25 and \$35.

ALL GOODS ENGRAVED WITHOUT

CHARGE.

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Fine Books, Bibles, Prayer Books and
Hymnals. Pocket Books, Card Cases, Shav-
ing Sets, Calendars, Desk, Fountain Pens and
a fine line of XMAS BOX PAPER all bought
for CASH and sold at LOWEST PRICES.

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ARE INVALUABLE CHRISTMAS PRE-
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For sale at greatly reduced prices.
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polished and wrapped, and guaranteed not
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mon priced ware you have been using. For styles
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for Insomnia, Diabetes, Kidney Trou-
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Debility, Sick Headache and Rheumatism,
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HOLIDAY GOODS.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

—AT—

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PERRY'S!

YOUR THOUGHTS ARE SET CHRISTMASWARD. The planning has already begun.

Each love tie will be re- cemented by some token—great or small. What to give to each

is the engrossing question. Then it will be sensible—and all the more appreciated.

There is a great deal to be gained by taking this matter in hand early. The assortment

will be better—you can go leisurely about your buying if you undertake it before the jostling

crowds have upset things—and the lines have become broken.

We are ready—with our part—a most complete stock of Holiday Novelties—so you can

begin to-day—to-morrow—any time. The reputation of this store—known to you for a

decade—stands sponsor for goodness and cheapness. You will be surprised how far a little

money will go in this Christmas shopping—at this reliable store.

SUGGESTIONS TO GIVERS!

26-inch English Gloria Umbrellas, with
natural handles, 75c and \$1.

28-inch English Gloria, natural stick \$1
and \$1.25.

26-inch Silk Gloria Umbrellas, with Dres-
den, crystal, mourning, French horn and nat-
ural handles, \$1.50.

28-inch Silk Gloria, with natural handles,
\$1.50.

26 and 28-inch Umbrellas, with novelty
mountings, \$2 to \$12.

Ladies' Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 12½c
to \$5.

Ladies' Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs,
12½c, 25c and 50c.

Men's Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs,
25c to 50c each.

Ladies' Japanese Silk Initial Handker-
chiefs, 18c to 39c each.

Men's Japanese Silk Initial Handkerchiefs,
50c, 75c and \$1.

Ladies' Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs,
12½c to \$1.75.

Silk Mufflers, lots of patterns and colors.

Children's Handkerchiefs, in fancy boxes, 75c
to \$2.50 a box.

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, in fancy boxes, 75c
to \$2.50 a box.

Men's Handkerchiefs, in fancy boxes, \$1 to
\$3 a box.

Fancy and Embroidered Suspenders, every
pair in a box, \$1.50 to \$3.

Men's Half-Hose 13c to \$1 a pair.

Latest Style Linen Collars 10c, and Linen
Cuffs 15c a pair.

Men's Neckwear, newest styles, 25c to
\$2.50.

Men's Underwear 50c to \$5 each piece.

The best makes of Kid and Woolen Gloves,
for Men, Women and Children.

Black and Colored Silk Dress Patterns, 50c,
65c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2 a yard.

Holiday Dress Patterns, boxed for giving,
all wool and silk and wool, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4
and \$5 each.

45-inch Wool Plaids, regular 75c quality,
for 50c a yard.

42-inch Cheviot Plaids, \$1 quality, for 59c
a yard.

36 inch Silk and Wool Suitings, latest ef-
fects, 39c a yard.

Head Rents, Prayer Rolls, and Pillows and
Cushions, covered with India Silk, Satin,
Japanese Crepe, Silk and Satin, at prices
that make sensible gifts; Elder Down Spreads,
Wrapper and Bed Blankets, Linen, Lunch
and Dinner Sets, Spatchell Centers, Bureau
Scarfs, Fancy Towels, Doylies, Tray-Cloths
and Napkins.

Ladies' Pillow Shams, Brown Linen and

White Cotton, Duck, Laundry and Shoe Bags
Christmas Calicos, (10 yards in each pat-
tern) 65c, 75c and 85c.

Cotton Toy Patterns—Monkeys, Dolls, Dogs,
Elephants, Cats, Santa Claus, etc., 10c each.

Ladies' and Children's Cloaks, Fur, Shirts,
Shawls, Corsets and Wrappers.

Russian Fleece, (10 yards in a pattern) \$1.
Holiday Chintzes, 10 yards in a pattern \$1.
Sea Island Percales in the new patterns,
12½c a yard.

Black Spanish Lace Scarfs and Fichues, \$1
to \$1.50 each. Real Duchesse Lace Handker-
chiefs, 75c to \$2.50 each.

Lace Collarettes and Bosoms, 75c to \$1.00 each.
Silk Elastic Garters, with buckles and rib-
bon bows, in fancy boxes, 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1
and \$1.25 a pair.

Black and Colored Silk Hosiery, in fancy
boxes, \$1 to \$3.50 a pair.

Genuine 4711 Cologne, 20c to 95c a bottle.
Pinaud's French Extracts, all the new
scents, 75c a bottle.

Pinaud's Smelling Salts, 45c a bottle.

Pinaud's Aurora French Cologne, in 4 oz.
bottles, 50c each.

Pinaud's Toilet Water, 59c a bottle.

Best Imported Bay Rum, 25c a half-pint,
50c a pint, 90c a quart.

Triple Extracts, all of the sweet smelling
essences, 35c an ounce.

Imported and Domestic Toilet Soaps,
Imported and Domestic Atomizers, 25c to
\$2.50 each.

Onyx Tables, of wrought brass with Onyx
Slabs, \$3.75 to \$40. Onyx and Brass Piano
Lamps.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Metal Pin Trays, 10c to 50c; Metal Boxes
for matches, hair-pins, safety-pins, etc., 25c;
Metal Jewel Boxes, 25c up; Manicure Sets, in
trays and boxes, 90c up; Bouquet Holders, 25c
up; Inkstands, 25c up; Pocket Match Safes,
25c up; Smoking Sets, \$1.35 and up; Metal
Covered Perfume Bottles, 25c up; Hair Mir-
rors, 25c up; Stand Mirrors, \$2.25 up; Knick-
Knack Boxes, 25c up; Ash Receivers,
25c up; Picture Frames, 25c up; Whisk
Brooms and Holders, 50c up; Odor Stands,
75c up; Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets, 95c
up; Scrap Baskets, 45c up; Fancy Baskets,
10c up; Work Baskets, 35c; Satin Lined
Work Baskets, 60c up; Leather Purses, 5c to
50c; Pocketbooks 25c to \$5.50; Combination
Card Cases and Pocketbooks, 50c to
\$8.25; Card Cases, 50c to \$3.58; Letter
Cases, 50c to \$3; Writing Tablets, \$1.15 to
\$3; Chatelaine Bags, 25c to \$5.25; Shopping
Bags, 50c to \$2.85; Traveling Satchels,
\$1.60 to \$7.50.

AND HERE IS WHAT WE WILL DO!

We will put every dollar's worth of Handkerchiefs in a fancy box, free.

If you buy two pairs of Gloves we will put them in a fancy box, free.

Every Scarf, 75c or more, we will put in a fancy box, free.

We will put all Silk Hosiery in a box, free.

We will put each pair of Holiday Suspenders in a box.

Each Silk Dress Pattern will be put in a fancy box, free.

We will engrave name on all Metal Mounted Umbrellas bought of us, free.

We will stamp name or initial in gilt on every Pocketbook or Card Case (\$1 or over)

bought of us, free.

If you find it won't be convenient to come to town, just send us your list. You couldn't do
better for yourself than we will do for you. If everything shouldn't be satisfactory we will
refund the money.

If you can't come to town you can order from the partial catalogue and we will give you
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